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IN
SCOTLAND.

At the Parliament begun at *Weſtminſter* the 17th day of *September*, *An. Dom.* 1656.

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UPon the County of Aberdeen, Two hundred eighty one pounds fifteen shillings nine pence.

The Borough of Aberdeen, Fifty five pounds ten shillings.

The County of Air, Two hundred sixty seven pounds eight shillings.

The Borough of Air, Eleven pounds thirteen shillings and two pence.

The Borough of Erwin, Eight pounds six shillings and six pence.

The County of Argile, One hundred thirty four pounds eleven shillings and six pence.

The County of Bamf, Seventy nine pounds nine shillings and seven pence.

The Borough of Bamf, Two pounds sixteen shillings and six pence.

The Borough of Cullen, One pound and five shillings.

The County of Berwick, One hundred ninety four pounds seven shillings and six pence.

The Borough of Lawder, Two pounds eighten shillings.

The County of Bute, Twenty one pounds six shillings and five pence.

The Borough of Rothsay, Two pounds and ten shillings.

The County of Caithnes, Forty one pounds eight shillings and two pence.

The County of Clackmannen, Twenty four pounds six shillings and eleven pence.

The County of Cromarty, Four pounds fourteen shillings and six pence.

The County of Dumbarton, Fifty two pounds sixteen shillings and eight pence.

The Borough of Dumbarton, Five pounds.

The County of Dumfrieze, One hundred eighty seven pounds nine shillings.

The Borough of Dumfrieze, Thirteen pounds seventeen shillings and six pence.

The Borough of Sunquar, Sixteen shillings and eight pence.

The

The Borough of Lochmabben, sixteen shillings and eight pence.

The Borough of Annan, sixteen shillings and eight pence.

The County of Edenburgh, two hundred and twenty pounds.

The City of Edenburgh, two hundred ninety nine pounds fourteen shillings.

The County of Elgin, seventy three pounds four shillings.

The Borough of Elgin, five pounds eleven shillings.

The Borough of Forras, two pounds and ten shillings.

The County of Fife, three hundred forty eight pounds three shillings and four pence.

The County of Kinros, nine pounds and five shillings.

The Borough of St. Andrews, twenty seven pounds fifteen shillings.

The Borough of Dysert, eleven pounds thirteen shillings and two pence.

The Borough of Kircaldie, twenty pounds and seven shillings.

The Borough of Anstruther Easter, six pounds thirteen shillings and four pence.

The Borough of Couper, nine pounds and three shillings.

The Borough of Anstruther Wester, two pounds and ten shillings.

The Borough of Pittenweamb, five pounds eleven shillings.

The Borough of Dumfermling, seven pounds six shillings.

The Borough of Creil, nine pounds two shillings and eight pence.

The borough of Kinghorn, three pounds and fifteen shillings.

The borough of Innerkeithing, four pounds three shillings and two pence.

The borough of Kilrenny, one pound five shillings.

The borough of Brunt-Island, nine pounds three shillings and two pence.

The county of Forfar, two hundred twenty six pounds four shillings and five pence.

The borough of Forfar, one pound fourteen shillings and three pence.

The borough of Dundee, fifty eight pounds five shillings.

The borough of Aberbroth, three pounds fifteen shillings.

The borough of Montrose, sixteen pounds thirteen shillings.

The borough of Breechin, five pounds.

The county of Hadington, one hundred ninety two pounds eight shillings & six pence.

The borough of Hadington, fifteen pounds three shillings.

The borough of Dunbarr, nine pounds three shillings two pence.

The borough of North-Berwick, one pound fourteen shillings.

The county of Innernes, and Ross, one hundred seventy nine pounds one shilling and one peny.

The borough of Innernes, twenty pounds sixteen shillings and three pence.

The borough of Tayn, four pounds three shillings and three pence.

The borough of Dingwell, fifteen shillings and four pence.

The

The county of Kincardin, Sirty eight pounds six shillings and six pence.

The county of Lanerick, two hundred and eighteen pounds sixteen shillings and four-

The borough of Lanerick, five pounds.

The borough of Glasgow, fifty four pounds two shillings and four pence.

The borough of Ruthergleu, one pound thirteen shillings and four pence.

The county of Linlithgow, eighteen pounds fifteen shillings.

The borough of Linlithgow, twenty four pounds nineteen shillings and nine pence.

The borough of Queensferry, three pounds fifteen shillings.

The county of Nayrne, nineteen pounds two shillings and six pence.

The borough of Nayrne, one pound thir-teen shillings six pence.

The county of Pebles, seventy two pounds eight shillings and nine pence.

The borough of Pebles, four pounds three shillings and three pence.

The county of Orkney and Zetland, seventy five pounds four shillings and nine pence.

The county of Perth, three hundred forty eight pounds three shillings and two pence.

The borough of Perth, thirty three pounds six shillings.

The borough of Culross, three pounds fif-teen shillings.

The county of Renfrew, ninety three pounds nine shillings nine pence.

The borough of Renfrew, three pounds six shillings and eight pence.

The County of Roxburgh, two hundred fifty four pounds fifteen shillings and four pence.

The Borough of Jedburgh, Seven pounds eight shillings and nine pence.

The County of Selkirk, Sixty two pounds ten shillings.

The Borough of Selkirk, Five pounds eleven shillings.

The County of Sterling, One hundred twenty one pound four shillings seven pence.

The Borough of Sterling, nine pounds three shillings two pence.

The County of Southerland, twenty three pounds four shillings and three pence.

The Borough of Dornock, One pound five shillings.

The County of Wigton, with the Stewarty of Kirkowbright, One hundred eighty five pounds two shillings nine pence.

The Borough of Wigton, Five pounds sixteen shillings and seven pence.

The Borough of Kirkowbright, Six pounds thirteen shillings six pence.

The Borough of Whitehorn, One pound fourteen shillings.

The Borough of Galloway, Nine shillings.

And be it further Enacted, and it is Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the persons hereafter named shall be Commissioners of the several and respective Counties, Cities, Towns and Places hereafter named; (viz.)

Aber-

Aberdeen-shire.

For Aberdeen-shire, General George Monk, one of His Highnes Council in Scotland, and Commander in Chief of the Forces there; Gilbert Earl of Arrol, Major General Morgan, Colonel Cobet, Alexander Douglas Doctor in Medicine, Stephen Winthrop, William Michael, John Cotterel, Michael Richardson, Esqs; George Gourdon of Couclarachy, James Boord of Auchmeden, Alexander Morison of Boghey, Gent. William Master of Forbes, Arthur Forbes of Aight, Alexander Forbes of Boynby, Gent. Sir Robert Forquar of Moony, Sir John Gourdon of Haddor, John Woodney of that Ilk, Alexander Master of Frazer, Alexander Frazer of Philorth, John Forbes of Bith, William Forbes yonger of Leschy, Thomas Forbes of Acorthin, Robert Borquson of Invalcald, Alexander Jephreys of Kingwells, Robert Forbes Tutor of Oragivae, Robert Burnet Advocate, Thomas Gowrdon, Gent.

City of Aberdeen.

For the City of Aberdeen, The Provost and Bayliffs for the time being; Colonel Cobet, Stephen Winthrop, William Michel Esquire; Sir Robert Forquar, Thomas Clargis Doctor in Medicine, Andrew More Doctor in Medicine, Major Richardson, Mr. Alexander Jephres, Mr. William More, John Jephres, Alexander Forbes, Alexander Williamson, John Mallis, Burgesses, Mr. Thomas Melvin, Thomas Grey, Robert Forbes, Alexander Robertson, Mr. Robert Petrie, Alexander Alexander, Walter Cockeram.

County of Air.

For the county of Air, Gen. George Monk Earl of Cassils, Lord Cockram, Roger Sawrey, Culp, Esqs, Henry Campbel of Cesnock, James Fullertoun of Fullertoun, John Chambers of Gairgirth, John Hadden of Ontisbin, Gilbert Richard of Barskiming, John Schora of Sornbeg, David Boswel of Achinlob, William Giffan Esq; John Blair of Blair, Sir John Crawfurd of Kilburn, Sir William Moor of the Wallen, Sir Robert Montgomery of Skelmurle, James Dunlope of Dunlope, Robert Boyd of Piteon, James Crawfurd of Baidland, John Cuningham of Baidland, David Boyl of Kelburn, John Kennedie of Collen, Alexander Kennedie of Craigoche, John Mackalexander of Corsecluys, John Whytford of Ballochie, Boyd of Trochrig, Kennedie of Knokdaw, Mackilvein younger of Crimes, Thomas Wallas of Fail, David Blair younger of Adamtoun, James Blair of Munton.

Borough of Air.

For the Borough of Air, The Provost and Bayliffs for the time being; Lieutenant Colonel Sourey, Captain John Spencer, William Cuningham, John Cranfurd, John Kennedy, John Osburn, Gilbert Macalmont, Theophilus [illegible], John Paterson Burgeſs.

Borough of Irwin.

For the Borough of Irwin, The Provost and Bayliffs for the time being, Mr. Robert Barclay, Allan Dunlep, John Dunlep, Burgeſs.

Shire of Argile.

For the Shire of Argile, Gen. George Monk, one of His Highnels Counsil in Scotland; John Campbel of Glenurgh, Duncan Stuart of Appein, Collein Campbel of Lochniel, John Campbel of Dounteamake, George Campbel, Campbel of Barbreck, James Campbel of Arkinglus, Archbald Campbel of Drumsine, Campbel of Kilcon, William Ralston of Ralston, Campbel of Skippinisk, Sir Dowel Campbel of Achinbrock, Macdowal of Raray, Macdowal of Dinellut.

County of Bamf.

For the County of Bamf, Sir Alexander Abercrombie of Galcrois Knight, Alexander Ogilvy of Kempkarn, Alexander Urquhart of Dunlugus, Alexander Gardny of Troup, Alexander Douglas Doctor of Medicine, George Gordon of Achintowlk, William Junes of Kniermony, Walter Junes of Afflimcart, James Sutherland of Kinminety, Mr. John Abereromby of Farskan, Mr. James Hay of Bellendalloch.

Town of Bamf.

For the Town of Bamf, The Magistrates for the time being, Alexander Douglas Doctor of Medicine, John Gordon Burgels, Robert Hambleton, Bury, Gilbert Mair.

Town of Cullen.

For the Town of Cullen, The Magistrates for the time being, William Leisly of Birdsbank, George Lawry, John Ogelvy, Burgelles.

County of Berwick.

For the County of Berwick **and** Lauder, **General** George Monk, John Swinton **one of the Council in** Scotland, James **Earl of** Hoom, **Sir** William Corbune **of** Lanton, John Hoom **of** Balcader, John Hoom **of** Renton, Robert Sinclar **of** Stockrmakis, George Hoom **of** Camier, Archib. Johnston **of** Hilton, Walter Pringil **of** Greengnew, Patrick Wardlaw, George Home **of** Kinnergem, Patrick Bog **of** Burnthouses, Archbald Douglas **of** Lumsden, John Hoom **of** Kello, John Edgar **of** Weddesley, John Ramsey **of** Edinton, William Sommerwel in Hilton, James Home **of** Castlehaw, **Sir** James Coeburn **of** Riſlaw, Mark Ker **of** Moriſton, John Grayden **of** Ethſlaw.

Borough of Cawder.

For the Borough of Cawder, **The Bayliffs for the time**, Alexander Cornwel.

County of Bute.

For the County of Bute, **Gen.** George Monk, **one of his Highneſs Council in** Scotland; **Sir** James Stewart **of** Kirktoun, **Sir** Robert Montgomery **of** Skelmurly, John Hamilton **Bayliff of** Arran, David Boid **of** Kelburn, John Stewart **of** Arkoge, Symon Stewart **of** Kilkaten, Stewart **of** Ardnihoe, Bannatyne **of** Kamis.

Rothſay.

For the Burgh of Rothſay, **the Provoſt and Bayliffs for the time being**, Hector Bannatyne, **Mr.** Patrick Stewart.

Carbnes

County of Cathnes.

For the County of Cathnes, George Monck, the Earl of Cathnes, William Sinclair of May, James Innes of Sanſyde, John Murray of Penniland, James Sinclar of Aſſers, John Cunningham the elder, of Benlia.

Shire of Clackmannen.

For the Shire of Clackmannen, General George Monck, one of his Highneſs Council, ſir Charls Erskin of Aba, James Holburn of Menſterry, ſir William Bruce of Stenhouſe, Thomas Read, John Clobberry, Eſqs; Bruce of Kenith, Meldrum of Tillivolly, Andrew Bruce of Clackmannen, and Robert Young in Clackmannen.

Shire of Cromarti.

For the Shire of Cromarti, General George Monck, Miles Man Eſq; ſir Lodowick Cordoun in Cromarti, Robert Leiſly.

County of Dumbarton.

For the County of Dumbarton, General George Monck, one of his Highneſs Council in Scotland, Earl of Wigtoun, ſir John Colwhoon of Luſs, ſir James Hamilton of Arbiſton, Richard Aſhfield, Robert Boyd of Drumer, Thomas Talbot, Henry Donnel, Eſqs; William Daviſe Eſq; Governor of Dumbarton Caſtle, ſir Aula Maccaula of Arnicaple, John Douglas of Rayſtoun younger, Robert Hamilton of Barnes, William Stirling of Law, John Colwhoon of Kilmirchimry, John Murhead of Craigtoun, Minhead of Lacknow junior, Mr. Cranford of Gloverbil, Mr. James Fleeming of Oxgange.

Dunbarton Town.

For Dumbarton Town, the Provost and Bayliffs for the time being, the Governor of Dumbarton Castle for the time being, John Smalles, William Campbel, Patrick Ewing Burgeſs.

County of Dumfreize.

For the County of Dumfreize, General George Monk, one of his Highneſs Council, Charls Howard Eſq; one of the Council, Earl of Nidſdale, Jame Earl of Hartfield, ſir John Grior of Lag, ſir William Douglas of Kilhead, Jeremiah Tolhurſt, John Grimſditch, Will. Grew, Eſqs; John Chrighten of Craidford Town, John Scot of Garmburrye, John Scot of Newborrough, Thomas Fargſon of Kaeloch, Robert Macluen of Lokhial, James Johnſton of Corhead, Robert Forgiſon of Cragedocock, James Johnſton of Weſtraid, Archibald Douglaſs of Dunnick, William Douglaſs of Norton, for the Boroughs of Dumfreize, Sanywear, Loquhmaban, Annan, the reſpective Provoſts and Bayliffs for the time being.

Shire of Edenburgh.

For the Shire of Edenburgh, General George Monk, one of his Highneſs Council in Scotland, Samuel Disbrow, one of his Highneſs Council in Scotland, ſir Edward Rhodes, one of his Highneſs Council in Scotland, Adrian Scroop, one of his Highneſs Council in Scotland, Nathaniel Wherham, one of his Highneſs Council in Scotland, John Swinton of Swinton, one of his Highneſs Council in Scotland, William Earl of Lou-

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thian, John Earl of Tiveday, the Lord Borthwick, sir James Maggall of Cranston, Thomas Hebrion of Humby, sir Alexander Inglish of Inglistoun, sir John Wachop of Nidery, sir James Hope of Hopton, sir [illegible] Johnston of Warriston, sir James Stewart of Kirkfield, Samuel Johnston, John Thomson, Henry Whaley, Walter Cheesly, Timothy Wilks, Abraham Homes, Andrew Abernethy, Esqs; Doctor George Purneys, Richard Clifton Esq; Brown in Musselburgh, Richardson of Smeeton, sir Robert Dody of Strenchil, William Rigg of Carberry, William Purneys of Aby-Hill, Samuel Atkins, Esqs; Patrick Scot of Larigshaw, Mr. Robert Preston of Uberchil, Mr. John Inglis of Gramond, Mark Kerse of Cockpend, Mr. Robert Smith of Smithfield, sir John Smith of Grotthill.

City of Edenburgh.

For the City of Edenburgh, the Provost and Bayliffs for the time being, Timothy Wilks Esq; Richard Clifton Esq; Quartermaster General Carrington, John Jolsie, David Wilkie, Esqs; sir John Smith, sir James Stuart, Mr. John Elies, Mr. John Harper, Mr. John Milne, Robert Lockart, Andrew Bryson Esqs; Mr. Thomas Knicaid, William Thomson Town Clerk, Mr. Walter Borthwick, Captain James Crawfurd, Mr. Wil. Ramsay.

Shire of Elgen.

For the Shire of Elgen, General George Monk, one of his Highness Councill in Scotland, Richard Baker, sir Lodowick Gordon, sir Robert Brodie, the Lord Brodie, Dunbar of Westfield, Brodie of Sethem younger, Robert

bert Innes, Alexander Dowglas, Charls Gordon, David Dunbar, Elqs;

Borough of Elgen.

For the Borough of Elgen, the Magistrates for the time being, John Hay, Alexander Dunbar, Mr. John Douglas.

Borough of Forras.

For the Borough of Forras, the Magistrates for the time being, William Dunbar, John Lang, Alexander Wincheſter.

Counties of Fyf and Kinros.

For the Counties of Fyf and Kinros, General George Monk, Bermouth of Balcomie, Sir James Lumſden yonger, Sir Tho. Nairne, the Laird of Minucrif, Sir Thomas Gourley, Minucrif of Randerſtoune, George Lord Melvil, Sir John Ayſtoun, David Bearboun Creich, Sir John Preſton of Airdrie, Gavin Wemys of Wythank, Lindſay of Munc, Mr. James Cheap, David Earl of Wemyſs, ſir John Wemyſs, ſir Alexander Gibſon of Durie, the Laird of Oruck, Mr. David Wemyſs of Balfarg, Mr. Andrew Ayſtoun of Kingleſsie, Mr. Andrew Muncrif, John Earl of Tueddal, ſir Henry Warla of Pettievie, Robert Dempſter of Babugie, John Scot of Spencerfield, the Laird of Dobbhil, ſir James Halkie.

Boroughs of St. Andrews.

For the Boroughs of St Andrews, Dyſſert, Kirkaldie, Cowper Amſtruther Eaſter, Pittenweemb, Dumfermling, Creal, Kinghorn, Anſtruther,

ther Weſter, Inner Keithing, Kildremy, Brunt-Iſland, **the Provoſt and Bayliffs for the time being reſpectively.**

Shire of Forfar.

For the Shire of Forfar, **General** George Monk, **one of His Highneſs Council in** Scotland, James **Lord** Carnegie, John Lindſey **of** Edgel, Robert Arbuthnot **of** Findaurie, George Summer **of** Balzeordie, James Scot **of** Sogie, David **Lord** Lowre, Peter Young **of** Seaton, **Sir** James Ogilvie, James Ruthen **of** Gardine, **the Lord** Brierheine, **Sir** Alexander Widderburne, Olive Cambel **of** Lindie, **Col.** Ralph Cobbet, **the Lord** Cooper, Creichton **of** Ruthwin, John Ogilvie **of** Balfoar, David Graham **of** Fintrie, Frederick Lyon **of** Brigtone, Harie Mawle **of** Melgine, **Colonel** David Barcley.

Borough of Dundee.

For the Borough of Dundee, **the Magiſtrates for the time being, Sir** Alexander Wedderburn, John Scrimgeor, William Duncane **the elder,** Alexander Watſon, David Yeoman.

Montroſs.

For Montroſs, **the Magiſtrates for the time being,** James Scot, Hercules Scot, Hercules Taityeour, James Peddie.

Brechein.

For Brechein, **the Magiſtrates for the time being,** George Skinner, George Steill, Robert Dempſter, David Donaldſon.

Forfar.

For Forfar, The Magistrates for the time being, William Gray, John Gray.

Arbrothe.

For Arbrothe, the Magistrate for the time being, Alexander Kid, John Sithie.

Shire of Hadington.

For the Shire of Hadington, General George Monk, one of his Highnels Councill in Scotland, John Swinton of Swintone Esq; one of his Highnels Councill in Scotland, James Earl of Hoom, Will. Earl of Roxbrough, John Earl of Hadington, John Earl of Tividayl, the Vicount of Kingstone, Edward Whalley Esq; Commissary General; Sir Robert Fletcher of Saltoon, Sir James Hay, Thomas Hepburne of Humbie, George Hoom of Ennerd, Robert Hepburne of Keith, John Hepburne of Smeeton, Brown of Colstone, Francis Hepburne of Beenstone, Mr. Robert Smelare of Longformagus, Mr. Alexander Hay of Bars, Doctor Hepburne, Thomas Hamilton of Preston, Sir Alexander Morisone of Preston Grange, Archibald Sydserfe of Rouchlau, Robert Atkinson, Esqs;

Borough of Hadington.

For the Borough of Hadington, the Provost and Baylifs for the time being, John Hamilton, James Cokburne, William Seatoune, Alexander Seatoune, George Cokburne, Burgesses.

Borough of Dunbar.

For the Borough of Dunbar, the Bayliff for the time being, George Adamson, George Forest, Thomas Purneys, Mr. George Thomson, William Bryson, William Nood, Walter Young, William Cockburn, Burgesses.

Borough of North-Berwick.

For the Borough of North-Berwick, the Magistrates for the time being.

Shire of Innerness.

For the Shire of Innerness, General George Monk, Earl of Murray, Hugh Frazer Mr. of Lovet, Sir James Mackdonel, Hugh Frazer of Stroney, Kenith Mackinsey of Coole, Mackinsey of Kilcowey, the Laird of Mackentosh, William Mackentosh of Kellehoy senior, Alexander Mackentosh of Cannage, Myles Man, John Hill, John Forbus of Colodin, Frenser of Belledrum junior.

Shire of Ross.

For the Shire of Ross, General George Monk, Miles Man Esq; Sir Robert Monroe of Fowles, Robert Liesly of Finrasie, Robert Gray of Arboe.

Burgh of Inverness.

For the Burgh of Inverness, the Provost and Bayliffs for the time being, John Forbes, David Cuthbert, Dean of Gurle, Daniel Fowler,

Duncan

Duncan Forbes, John Polson, Alexander Dunbar, James Fowler and Robert Baillie Burgesses.

Borough of Tain.

For the Borough of Tain, the Provost and Bayliffs for the time being, David Rosse, James Hay, Maccullock of Kendert, and Son to the late Lauchlan Rosse, Burgesses.

Burgh of Dingwell.

For the Burgh of Dingwell, the Provost and Bayliffs for the time being, Mac Raw and Maitland Roberson Burgesses.

Sheriffdom of Kincardine.

For the Sheriffdom of Kincardine, General George Monk, one of his Highness Council for Scotland, Robert Viscount of Arbuthnot, Sir Alexander Carnegie, Sir Robert Grahame, the Lord Halcartone, Sir Gilb. Ramsay, William Rait, John Barclay, Thomas Allardes, Harie Barclay, Andrew Arbuthnock, Robert Keith, Esqs; John Stretton of Lawrenston, William Neparte, David Barclay.

Shire of Lannerick.

For the Shire of Lannerick, General George Monk, one of his Highness Council in Scotland, Sir Wil. Lockhart one of his Highness Council in Scotland, the Earl of Carnwath, the Lord Blantyre, Sir William Carmichal, Sir Daniel Carmichal, Sir John Cheisly, Sir James Hamilton of Orbieston, Sir Will. Weir, Sir William Bailzie, Sir

Walter

Walter Stewart, Sir Robert Hamilton, Colonel Asfield, Lieut. Colonel Symons, Major Dorney, James Hamilton of Dalfell, James Hamilton of Woodfal, Mr. John Lockhart Advocate, James Crafurd of Kipbie, John Bannayne of Corhous senior, William Baily of Hardington, William Laurie of Blackwood, George Lockhart Advocate, James Stewart of Caftlemilk, James Hamilton of Selcraig, William Brown of Dolphington, William Lindfay of Cowington, Thomas Hamilton of Preftone, John Somerwell of Druh, Gawin Hamilton of Roploch, William Lockhart of Park, William Chancellor of Sheilhill, William Bailzie of Littlegill, James Bell of Littlegowan, Halbert Nisbit, George Lockhart, Efqs;

Town of Rutherglen.

For the Town of Rutherglen, the Provoft and Baylifs for the time being; David Spence, Walter Riddel Burgefs.

City of Glafgow.

For the City of Glafgow, the Provoft, Baylifs and Dean of Gild for the time being, Colonel Afhfield, Major Dorney, John Bell, John Graham, George Porterfeil, John Walkenifhow, Walter Neilfon, Mr. John Spreull Burgefs, John Aderfon of Dowhill.

Town of Lannerick.

For the Town of Lannerick, the Baylifs for the time being; Gedeon Jarck, Michael Gemble.

Shire of Linlithgow.

For the Shire of Linlithgow, General George Monk, one of His Highness Council in Scotland; Sir Robert Drummond of Medox, Sir Joseph Douglas of Dundas of that Ilk elder, Dundas of that Ilk elder, Dundas of that Ilk yonger, George Dundas of Dudiston, George Drummond of Carlowry, and Andrew Bryson, Esqs;

Burgh of Linlithgow.

For the Burgh of Linlithgow and Queensferrie, the Provost and Bayliffs for the time being.

County of Nayrne.

For the County of Nayrne, General George Monk, one of His Highness Council in Scotland; Richard Beck, Esq; Brodie of Lethew elder, Cambell of Cadell, Rosse of Clova, Sutherland of Kinsterie, Falconare of Moynies.

Burrough of Nayrne.

For the Burrough of Nayrne, the Magistrates for the time being.

Shire of Pebles.

For the Shire of Pebles, General George Monk, one of His Highness Council in Scotland; Samuel Disbrow, one of His Highness Council in Scotland, John Earl of Traquair, John Earl of Tivedayl, Sir Alexander Murray of Blackbarony, Sir John Netch of Dark, Sir Michael Nesmith of Posid, David Murray of Stanhope, Mr. John Hay of Haystoune, Robert Hunter of Polmund, Robert

bert Murray of Skirling, William Horsbrught of Horsbrught, Archbald Murray of Blackbarony yonger, Henry Whalley, Esquires.

Burrough of Pebles.

For the Burrough of Pebles, the Provost and Baylifs for the time being, John Plenderlegth Burgess.

County of Orknay and Zethland.

For the County of Orknay and Zethland, George Monk General, Stewart yonger of Maynes, Patrick Blaire, John Sykes, Hubblesheim, Esquires; James Moody of the Wells.

Shire of Perth.

For the Shire of Perth, General George Monk, one of his Highness Council in Scotland, John Earl of Tullibardin, David Earl of Weam, James Lord Drummond, Sir Edward Rans, J. Earl of Linthigoe, James Lord Cooper, Thomas Lord Ritchyan, Sir Thomas Blaire of Baltheyock, Sir William Achnifleck of Balmannow, Sir Peter Hay of Magnich elder, Sir Thomas Stewart of Gawrintilley, Sir James Cambell of Lawers, William Daniel, John Pearson, Francis Aldersey, Esqs; Sir George Preston of Valeyfield, Dennis Esq. Governor of Weems, Rowland Gascoun Esq. George Elsmoore Esq. Governor of Drummond, Peter Hay of Lees, John Blair of Arblair, Campbell of Cruning, James Menzies of Coldary, Alexander Menzies of Comery, Henry Chuse of Header, John Campbell of Glanurghuy elder, Patrick Rottrey of Craighall, James Master of Rolle, John Drummond of

of Balloſh, Eſq. George Oliand of Pethibles, John Cambel of Knockhill, William Murray of Oſtertyre junior, William Blair of Knufannes, James Stewart of Abrothick junior, James Sterling Baron of Authyl, Robertſon of Straloch, Dowgll Robertſon of Kinkragy, John Campbell of Fordy, Hugh Michell of Kincherothy, John Moncrith of Eaſter Moncrith, David Drumond of Envermay, James Mercer of Aldeg, Eſq. Thomas Murray and John Campbel of Glanochy younger.

Borough of Perth.

For the Borough of Perth, the Provoſt and Bayliffs for the time, Robert Androw.

Burgh of Calroſs.

For the Burgh of Calroſs, the Bayliffs for the time.

County of Renfrew.

For the County of Renfrew, General George Monk, William Lord Cochran, Sir James Hamilton of Orbiſtoun, Sir George Maxwell of Netherpollos, Sir Lodowick Houſtoun of Houſtoun, Sir Patrick Maxwell of Newark, John Shaw younger of Grinock, John Pouetfield younger of Duchele, William Moor of Caulewek, William Moor of Channeriſtoun, Sir Adam Blair of Boggtoun, Archbald Stewart of Scottiſtoun, Gawin Walkinſhaw of Walkinſhaw, John Birsbain of Biſchoptoun, Patrick Fleming of Bartochane, James Orr of Langſtelli, Sir John Craffurd of Kilbirnie, Gawin Cochran Eſq; Cornelius Crawfurd of Jurdan-hill, Robert Alexander of Paiſley, James Wallis of Bardrau, Cunningham of Craigens.

Town

Town of Renfrew.

For the Town of Renfrew, the Provost and Bayliffs for the time being, John Spreull, Robert Pollock, John Somerwell, Burgesses.

County of Roxburgh.

For the County of Roxburgh, George Monk General, William Earl of Roxborough, William Earl of Lothian, Charles Howard one of his Highness Council, Sir Archibald Douglas, Sir Andrew Ker, Sir Gilbert Eliot, Sir Thomas Ker, Gilbert Ker Esq; Andrew Ker of Sniffays.

Pringell of Stichel.

Pringell of Stichell, John Scot of Langshaw, John Rutherford of Edderston, John Scot of Gaumbury, Gideon Scot of High Chester, William Ker of Newton, Patrick Scot of Thirelestan, Patrick Scot of Langshaw, Robert Scot of Bradock, Robert Ker of Greenhall, Henry Mackdowall of Mackerstane.

Burgh of Jedburgh.

For the Burgh of Jedburgh, the Provost and Bayliffs for the time, William Anslie, Stephen Robson, Adam Ansly, James Macuby, Burgesses.

Shire of Selkirk.

For the Shire of Selkirk, General George Monk one of his Highness Council in Scotland, Sir Charles Howard one of his Highness Council

in Scotland, Samuel Disbrow one of his Highnesse Council in Scotland, John Earl of Traquair, Sir William Scot of Eckwood, Alexander Pringle of Whitebank younger, Patrick Scot of Thirlestone, George Pringle of Toudh younger, Henry Whalley Esq; Scot of Langshaw younger, John Murrey of Philiy Hauch, John Ridall of Hauning.

Burrough of Silkirk.

For the Burrough of Silkirk, the Bayliffs for the time being, Gawyn Murray, Francis Eliot, Burgesses.

Shire of Sterling.

For the Shire of Sterling, General George Monk, one of his Highnes Council in Scotland, Thomas Read Esq; Sir Thomas Nicholson of Carnoch, Sir William Bruce of Stenhouse, John Cloberry Esq; Sir Alexander Pearson of Southall, Mr. John Justice, John Coburn Esq; and Sir Thomas Hope of Hopton.

Burgh of Sterling.

For the Burgh of Sterling, the Provost and Bayliffs of Sterling for the time being.

Shire of Sutherland.

For the Shire of Sutherland, General George Monk, Commander in Chief of the Army in Scotland, John Earl of Sutherland, George Lord Strad-

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navern, Sir Robert Gordon of Embo, Sir Robert Monroe of Fowlis, Miles Man Esq; Robert Gray of Skibo, Alexander Gray of Kreich, Patrick Dunbarre of Sydree, David Rose of Pitcalme, Robert Gray of Arboe, John Southerland of Clein, Murray of Spanudall, William Gordoun in Doill, John Crawford, Josias Campbell.

Burgh of Dornock.

For the Burgh of Dornock, the Provost and Baylifs for the time being, and Mr. Robert Gray.

Shire of Wigton and Kirkowbright.

For the Shire of Wigton and Kirkowbright, General George Monk, John Earl of Cassills, James Earl of Galloway, Sir John Macgie, Sir Andrew Agnew, John Lord Kirkowbright, William Greirson of Bargotton, William Gordon of Craick Cow, Alexander Mackdowal of Logon, Mackdowal of French, Alexander Maccullo of Marton, John Dunbar of Mochrum, William Gordon of Earleston, John Gordon of Rusco. Lenox of Kaley, John Maxwell of Miluton, William Gordon of Chirmers, Sir Robert Maxwell of Orchanton, David Dunbar of Baldon, Alexander Stuart of Fisgil, James Dalrimpill of Stoir, Patrick Macdowall of Logan, John Vans of Barnbarro, John Mackdowall of Kilespie, Patrick Macgie of Large, William Maxwell of Monreith, John Houston of Drumaston, William Mackquistock, William Adair of Kinhilt, Captain William Green, Colonel William Stuart, Maxwell of Monshein, Sir James Mackdowall.

Burrough

Burrough of Wigton.

For the Burrough of Wigton, the Provost and Bayliffs for the time being, Adamachy, John Dunbar, Hugh Keenere, Burgesses.

Burrough of Kirkowbright.

For the Burrough of Kirkowbright, the Provost and Bayliffs for the time being, Carlen late Provost, Fallerton late Bayliff, Dawning late Bayliff.

Burrough of Whitehorn.

For the Burrough of Whitehorn, the Provost and Bayliffs for the time being.

Burrough of Galloway.

For the Burrough of Galloway, the Provost and Bayliffs for the time being.

And for the more equal and right proportioning the several sums before mentioned, Be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That the several sums of Money to be Rated, Assessed, and Levied by vertue of this Act, shall be Rated and Assessed by a pound Rate, on the several parishes in the respective Counties, Cities, and Places aforesaid, for all and every their Lands, Tenements, Hereditaments, Annuities, Rents, Parks, Warrants, Goods, Chattels, Stock, Merchandizes, Office, or any other real or personal Estate whatsoever, according to the value thereof; That is to say, so much upon every Twenty shillings Rent or yearly value of Land and real Estate, and so much upon

upon Money, Stock, and other personal Estate, by an equal rate, (wherein every twenty pounds in Money, Stock, or other personal Estate, shall bear the like charge as shall be laid upon every twenty shillings yearly Rent, or yearly value of Land) as will raise the Monthly Sum or Sums charged upon the respective Counties, Cities, and Towns aforesaid: For the better effecting whereof, it is hereby Enacted, That the several and respective Commissioners hereby appointed for the several and respective Counties, Cities, and Towns aforenamed, shall meet together at the most common and usual place of meeting in each of the said Counties, Cities, and Towns respectively, on or before the Fifteenth day of July, in this present year One thousand six hundred fifty seven.

And the said Commissioners, or so many of them as shall then and there attend and be present, shall cause this present Act to be put in Execution, according to their best discretion and judgement; and having agreed amongst themselves of some general Rules and Directions for the doing thereof, and appointed another time for the second General meeting, which shall be on or before the one and twentieth day of July aforesaid at the furthest, to Receive the Returns from the several Counties, Sectarries, Cities, Burroughs, Parishes & places; and then with all convenient speed they, or any Two or more of them, shall nominate and appoint two or three of the honest and able Inhabitants in the several and respective Parishes to be Surveyors and Assessors; who (or any two of them) are to ascertain and rate the

yearly value and Profits of the said Parishes and Places for which they shall be appointed Surveyors and Assessors, and shall return the same to the said Commissioners, or to such person or persons as shall be appointed to receive the same, four dales at the least before the second General meeting of the said Commissioners; To the end that the said Commissioners may deliver in all the Surveys to be made throughout the said Counties, Cities, and Towns aforesaid, at the said second General meeting appointed as aforesaid, at or before the Nine and twentieth of July, One thousand six hundred fifty seven aforesaid. And for the better proceeding and more perfect discovery of the truth in the said Surveyes, that the intention of an equal Rate throughout the several places aforesaid, and every part of them may be obtained, the said Commissioners in their several and respective Divisions and Limits, or any two of them, may and are hereby authorized to Administer an Oath (if they shall see cause) unto the respective Surveyors and Assessors, for their faithfull discharge of the trust reposed in them, and for the just and impartial dealing in the same; And the said Commissioners, or the major part of so many of them as shall be present at the said second General meeting, shall upon view and perusal of the said several Surveys, cast up the true yearly revenue and profits of the whole County, City, or Town, to the end that an equall Pound-rate may be appointed upon every Parish, according to the proportion and summe of Money charged upon the said County, City or Town, by vertue of this present Act, which pro-

proportion and equal rate, the said Commissioners, or the Major part of them present, as aforesaid, are by vertue of this Act authorized and appointed to make.

And that being done, the Commissioners or any two or more of them, shall by themselves, or by their Warrants to the High Constables and other Officers or persons within their several Divisions, cause the said several proportions and summes of money for the whole three Moneths, to be at once equally Assessed and taxed in due manner and form, according to the true intent and meaning of this Act, and appoint Assessors for the perfecting thereof, who are hereby authorized and required to put the business with all care and diligence in present Execution, observing the Rules in this Act prescribed for the equall Assessing of all Estates both reall and personal, within the Parishes of their respective Divisions. And for the compleating of the summe or proportion charged upon the same. And to the end the said Rates be equally and indifferently Assessed, and the Moneys duely collected, and true accompt thereof made, the said Assessors are hereby required, within six daies after such Assessments made, to deliver one Copy of their respective Assessments fairely written and subscribed by them unto the said Commissioners in their respective Divisions. And the said Commissioners, or any two or more of them, are hereby ordered and required to sign and seal two Duplicates of the said respective Assessments, whereof one Duplicate the said respective Commissioners are to deliver to the respective Collectors, with warrant forthwith to collect the said three

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Months, so as the whole summe due for the same, may be paid, as in this Act is directed, to the respective Receivers General of his Highness Revenue in Scotland, and another Duplicate to the Commissioners of his Highness Exchequer in Scotland.

And the said several Commissioners, or any two or more of them, are hereby authorized from time to time to nominate and appoint one or more sufficient, honest, and able persons in every Division or Allotment, to be collectors of the said Money so assessed and rated; which said Collectors and every of them, are hereby authorized and required forthwith to collect the said Money so assessed: and the said Commissioners or any three or more of them, are hereby authorized to allow one penny in the pound to the said Collectors, and their Sub-collectors, for their paines in assessing and collecting the said Moneys, and one penny in the pound to the Commissioners Clerks for their pains in fair writing the Assessments and Duplicates: And if any persons shall refuse or neglect to pay any sum of Money whereat he shall be rated or assessed, that then it shall and may be lawfull to and for the said Collectors, or any of them (who are hereby authorized and required thereunto) to Levy the summe assessed, by distress and sale of the Goods of such Persons so refusing or neglecting to pay, deducting the sum assessed, and reasonable charges of distraining, and restore the over-plus to the owner thereof; And to break open any House, Trunck, Chest or Box, or any thing where any such Goods are; and to call to their assistance any of the Forces next adjacent to, or within the Cities, Counties,

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Towns, or places where any resistance shall be made, or any other Officer or Officers, person or persons, Civil or Military, whatsoever; which said Forces, Officers, and Persons, are hereby required to be aiding and assisting in the Premises, as they will answer the contrary at their perils. And if any difference or question happen upon the taking of such distress between the parties distrained or distraining, the same shall be ended and determined by the said Commissioners, or any two or more of them, and the said several Commissioners, or any two or more of them, are hereby Authorized to use such other lawful wayes or means for the speedy levying of the said Assessments, as to them shall be thought fit: And if any person or persons shall neglect or refuse to pay the Assessments, and convey his or their Goods, or other personal Estate, whereby the sum of Money so Assessed cannot be Levyed according to this Act, then the said respective Commissioners, or any two or more of them, are hereby Authorized to imprison the person, and Sequester the Estates of every such person, for the advancement of the said service: And the several and respective Tenants or Tenant of all Houses and Land, which shall be rated by vertue of this Act, are hereby required and Authorized to pay such sums of Money as shall be rated upon such House or Lands, and to deduct out of their Rents so much of the said Rates, as in respect of the said Rents of every such House and Land, the Landlords should or ought to pay and bear; and the said Landlords, both mediate and immediate, according to their respective interests, are hereby required to allow

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such deductions and payment upon the Receipt of the returne of their Rents.

And be it Enacted, That every Tenant, paying the said Assessment, shall be acquitted and discharged for so much Money as the said Assessments shall amount to, as if the same had been actually paid unto such person or persons unto whom his Rents should have been due and payable: And if any difference shall arise between Landlord and Tenant, or any other concerning the said Rates, the said several Commissioners, or any two or more of them, in their said severall Divisions, shall, and have hereby power to settle the same as they shall think fit: And in case the proportions set by this Act upon all and every the respective Counties, Cities, Towns and Places, shall not be so fully Assessed, Levied and payed, according to the true meaning thereof; or that if any of the said Assessments shall be rated or imposed upon any person not being of Ability to pay the same, or upon any empty or void House or Land, where the same cannot be Collected or Levied, or that through any other wilfulness, negligence, mistake, or accident, the said Assessment shall fall short, and not be payed, so that the whole sum by this Act charged upon every County, City or Place, happens not to be payed to the said Receivers General, by the times, and as in this Act is directed, That then, and in all and every such case, the severall and respective Commissioners, Assessors, and Collectors aforesaid, and every of them respectively, are hereby Authorized and required, to Assess, or cause to be Assessed, Collected, Levied, and payed, all and every such sum and sums of Money upon the

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respective Counties, Cities, Towns or Places, or upon the several and respective Divisions and Parishes where the same shall be Assessed, not Collected, Levied, or not payed, the said new Assessment to be made, Collected, Levied and payed in such manner, and by such means as in this Act for the Assessment is declared.

And it is further Enacted, That if any person or persons shall finde him or themselves aggrieved, that he or they is, or are over-rated, and shall within six days after demand made of the sum of Money Assessed on him or them, complain to the Commissioners who signed or allowed his or their Assessment, the major part of the said Commissioners who signed or allowed his or their Assessment, shall have, and have hereby Power upon examination, within eight days after the demand as aforesaid, to relieve such person or persons, and to charge the same upon such other person or persons as they shall see cause: And the said Collectors, and every of them are hereby required from time to time, to pay such sum or sums of Money as shall be by them Collected by vertue of this Act, to the Receiver General appointed by the said Commissioners for the receiving of the Moneys to be Levied by vertue of this Act, for the County, City, or Town wherein they are Collectors.

And be it Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That Power be, and is hereby given to the Commissioners at their first or second General meeting aforesaid in the several and respective Counties, Cities and Towns in this Act not nominated, to appoint in every particular

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County a General Receiver, who shall receive the Assessments of the said Counties from the particular Collectors and Sub-collectors; And the said General Receiver of each particular County, shall forthwith transmit, or cause to be payed the Moneys by him received, unto the Receiver General of his Highness Revenue, or where, or to whom he shall appoint to receive the same; and the said Receivers General of his Highness Revenue is hereby Authorised to allow unto the said Receiver General in each County, a Salary for his pains, (not exceeding one penny in the pound) upon the clearing of his Accompt.

And be it further Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That if any person or persons shall wilfully neglect to perform his duty in the due and speedy execution of this present Act, the said respective Commissioners; or any three or more of them, have hereby power to impose on such person or persons so refusing or neglecting their duties, such Fine or Fines as to them shall be thought fit, and cause the same to be levied by distress and sale of his or their Goods in manner aforesaid.

Provided, That no Fine to be imposed by any of the said Commissioners, shall for any one offence exceed the sum of Twenty pounds; and that all Fines so imposed shall be payed to the respective Receivers General; and by them to the Receiver General of his Highness Revenue, for the use of the Rates raised by Authority of Parliament: And if any Collector or Sub collector shall neglect or refuse to pay, or detain in his or their hands, any sum or sums of Money by them received by

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vertue of this Act, and not pay the same as in and by this Act is directed, the said Commissioners, or any three or more of them in their respective Divisions, are hereby Authorized to imprison the persons, and Sequester the Estates of every such Collector or Sub-collector for the satisfaction of the Moneys so received and detained by them as aforesaid, and to cause the same forthwith to be paid to the Receiver General of that County or place: And if any Receiver General, that shall by vertue of this Act be appointed for the Receipt of any Sum or Sums of Money thereby to be Assessed, shall neglect or refuse to pay any Sum or Sums of Money by him so received as aforesaid, and not pay the same as in and by this Act is directed, so that the County or Place for which he is Receiver, is thereby put to a further charge in providing and paying to the Receiver General of His Highness Revenue, the Sum or Sums by him so received and detained, the Commissioners of such County and Place are hereby Authorized to appoint a General meeting: and the major part of the Commissioners then and there present, are hereby Impowred to Imprison the person, and Sequester the Estate of such Receivers General, and to satisfie and pay to such County or Place that by means aforesaid shall be further charged the Sums they have been so further charged withall by means of such Receivers General detaining in his hands, and not paying the Moneys by him received to the Receiver General of His Highness Revenue aforesaid. And it is hereby Enacted, That in case any Controversie arise concerning the said Assessments, or the dividing, apportioning, or payment thereof, which concerns any of the

Commissioners by this Act appointed, that the Commissioners so concerned in the said Controversies have no voice, but shall withdraw at the debate of any such Controversie, until it be determined by the rest of the Commissioners.

And be it hereby Enacted by the Authority aforesaid, That no Priviledged place or person, Body Politique or corporate, within the Cities, Counties, Towns, and Places aforesaid, shall be exempted from the said Assessments and Taxes, but that they and every of them, and also all Fee-Farm Rents, and other Rents of the late Kings Revenues, all Rents and other Sums received by the late Court of Ward out of any Wards, Infants or Lunatique Estates, and all other manner of Rents, Payment, and sums of Money, and Annuities, issuing out of any Lands within any City or County, shall be lyable towards the payment of any sum by this Act to be Taxed and Levied, and all the Tenants of any Fee-Farm Rent, other Rent, sums of Money or Annuities aforesaid, are hereby directed and Authorized to pay the proportional according to the Rate and Assessments by this Act appointed and Enacted; and all such Tenants shall be hereby saved and kept harmless by Authority of this present Act, from any further payment of such portion of any such Rent, Rents, Sums or Annuities to the Exchequer, or to any person or persons to whom any such Rent, Rents, sums of Moneys, or Annuities as aforesaid shall or ought to be payed to all intents and purposes whatsoever, as full and as ample as if they had payed the same in the Exchequer, or to any person or persons to whom the same is received and becomes due. And it is hereby Enacted, That all those persons who

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have left the Commonwealth, and removed themselves beyond the Seas to inhabit, (except Merchants, whose affairs do necessarily call them abroad) shall be Assessed a double proportion upon their Lands, Stocks, and Chattels, of what others for the Lands, Stocks, and Chattels of the like value shall be Assessed: Provided nevertheless, and be it further Enacted, That in case the way and maner of Assessing by a pound Rate, in this present Act prescribed, shall prove any way prejudicial or obstructive to the bringing in the Assessments, appointed by this present Act, that then & in all such cases the said Commissioners in any of the said Cities, Counties, Towns, & places before mentioned, where such obstructives shal be or happen, shal appoint a General meeting together, and the major part of them then present may, and are hereby Authorized, for the removal of all obstructions, & the more & effectual execution of this Act, to proceed according to the justest and equal way of Rate, held in such places in the apportioning, Levying, and Assessing the respective sums charged upon them, any thing in this Act contained to the contrary notwithstanding: Provided always, that it shall and may be lawful to and for the Commissioners in this Act named, or any three or more of them, for the more just and impartial Surveying of any Lands in the several and respective Counties, Divisions, Parishes, and Places, to appoint two or three such other able Surveyors, as to them shall seem meet, the persons not residing within the Limits and Divisions where such Lands lie that are to be Surveyed, and that it shall and may be lawful for the said Commissioners, or any three of them to administer an Oath, if they shall see cause, unto the

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ſaid Surveyors, for their faithful diſcharge of the truſt repoſed in them, and impartial dealing in the ſame: Provided alſo, That nothing contained in this Act ſhall be extended to charge any of the Maſters or Scholars of the Univerſities or Colledges in Scotland, or any other Officers in the ſaid Univerſities, Colledges, or Schools of any Hoſpital or Alms-houſes, for, and in regard of any ſtipend, wages, or profit whatſoever, ariſing, or growing due to them in reſpect of the ſeveral places and imployments in the ſaid Univerſities, Colledges, Schools, Hoſpitals, or Alms-houſes, for or in reſpect of any Rents or Revenues, being to be received or diſburſed for the immediate uſe and relief of the ſame.

Provided, That no Tenants, who hold or enjoy any Lands or Houſes by Leaſe, or any other Grant from any of the ſaid Hoſpitals, do claim, or enjoy any freedom, exemption, or advantage of this Act, but that all the Houſes and Lands as they ſo hold, ſhall be Rated and Aſſeſsed for ſo much as their yearly worth, over and above the Rents received, and payable to the ſaid Hoſpital. Provided nevertheleſs, That no Clauſe or Proviſo in this Act ſhall extend to the leſſening or abatement of the full ſum by this Act appointed to be Taxed, Levied, and paid, but that the ſame be fully Aſſeſſed, Taxed and Levied, Collected and payed in the ſeveral reſpective Counties, Cities and places aforeſaid, in ſuch manner and form, and to ſuch uſes as is herein before mentioned & declared: And that the ſeveral & reſpective Commiſſioners, & every of them, ſhall from time to time, give a perfect account of all their doings & proceedings to the Commiſſioners of His Highneſs Exchequer in Scotland.

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